

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF

GROUP ART UNIT: 1761

BILLMERS, ET AL.

EXAMINER: TRAN LIEN, THUY

S.N. 10/646,429

FILED: 22 AUGUST 2003

FOR: STARCHES FOR REDUCED FAT

IN FRIED FOOD SYSTEMS

Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks

Washington, D.C. 20231

AMENDMENT

Sir:

Responsive to the outstanding action dated 14 September 2009, in the above-identified application, having a period for response set to expire 14 December 2009 and extended two months by petition herewith to 14 February 2010, Applicant respectfully requests the following amendment and enclosed evidence be entered, and the claims considered in light thereof.